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FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EMIN, MY

SUBJECT: TIN DISPOSALS

1. EMBASSY IS BEING QUESTIONED BY PRESS AND LOCAL OFFICIALS REGARDING REPORTS FROM LONDON THAT GSA HAS REVISED TIN DISPOSAL POLICY. ACCORDING INFO COMING IN HERE GSA REPORTEDLY ANNOUNCED PROHIBITION ON EXPORT OF GRADE A TIN. PROHIBITION IS PRESUMED TO BE BASED ON CONCERN THAT US STOCKPILE AUTHORIZED FOR DISPOSAL NEARING DEPLETION.

2. BASIC QUESTION BEING RAISED HERE IS WHETHER US IS REVISING ITS DISPOSAL POLICY. SOME TIN OFFICIALS ARE SPECULATING THAT BECUASE OF CONCERN OVER COMMODITY SHORTAGES, US WILL SOON BEGIN BUYING TO REPLENISH STOCKPILE.

3. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE FULLEST READING DEPT CAN GIVE ON GSA ACTIONS AND INTENTIONS.
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